

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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For: METHODS AND SYSTEMS FOR DEFINING AND DISTRIBUTING INFORMATION ALERTS

Commissioner for Patents

Washington, D.C. 20231

ATTENTION: Deputy Commissioner for Patents

PETITION TO ACCEPT COLOR DRAWINGS OR PHOTOGRAPHS (37 C.F.R. section 1.84(a)(2) AND (b)(2))

1. This petition is for the acceptance of color drawings (37 C.F.R. section 1.84(a)(2)).
2. Attached hereto are three (3) sets of color drawings.
3. Please amend the specification, by inserting the following language as the first paragraph of the specification beginning a brief description of the drawings (page 7, line 13).

"The file of this patent contains at least one drawing executed in color. Copies of this patent with color drawing(s) will be provided by the Patent and Trademark Office upon request and payment of necessary fee."

4. The reason(s) for the need for color drawings in this application is/are as follows:

The invention includes graphical user interfaces that allow individuals to define schedules and information alerts. Color is necessary to illustrate how individuals use these interfaces to define schedules and information alerts.

5. The petition fee required to waive the requirements of section 1.84 (37 C.F.R. section 1.17(i)) is paid as follows:

Attached is a check for the sum of \$130

A duplicate of this petition is attached.

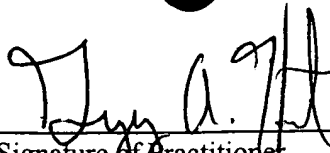
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